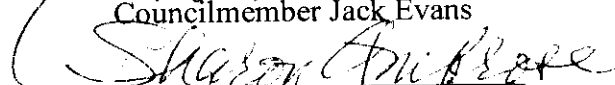
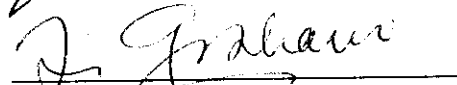
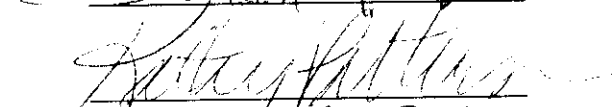
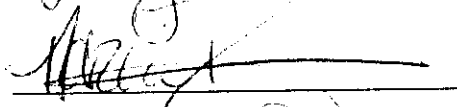
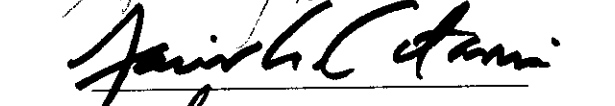

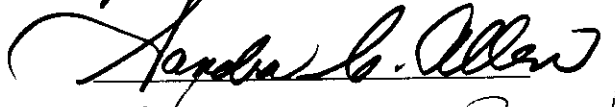
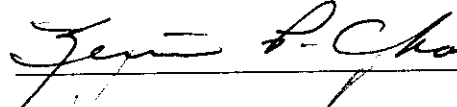
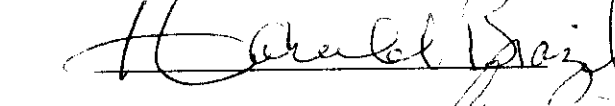
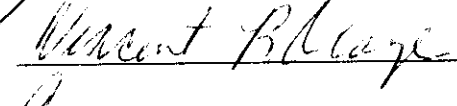


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A BILL

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To amend Title 1 of the District of Columbia Official Code to change the dates for holding elections in order to allow the District of Columbia to hold the first Presidential primary election every four years.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "Presidential Primary Election Act of 2003".

Sec. 2. Title 1 of the District of Columbia Official Code is amended as follows:

Section 1-1001.10 is amended as follows:

(a) Subsection (a)(1) is amended by striking the phrase "1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday in May" and inserting the phrase "2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday in January" in its place.

(b) Subsection (3)(A) is amended by striking the phrase 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday in May" and inserting the phrase "2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday in January" in its place.

Sec. 3. Fiscal impact statement.

The Council adopts the attached fiscal impact statement as the fiscal impact statement required by section 602(c)(3) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code §1-206.2(c)(3)).

Sec. 4. Effective date.

This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), a 30-day period of Congressional review as provided in section 602(c)(1) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(1)), and publication in the District of Columbia Register.